Lesson XIII. - Fourth Quarter, For Dec. 28, 1913.

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Text of the Lesson, Quarterly Review, Read Josh. xxiv-Golden Text, John iii, 16-Commentary by Rev. D. M.

LESSON L.-Moses' Cry For Help, Num. xi, 10-18, 24, 25. Golden Text. Jas. v, 16, "The supplication of a righteous man availeth much in its working." The continual complaining of this rebellious people was enough to wear any one out and led Moses to say, "It is too heavy for me," but he always took everything to the Lord in prayer. This was one of the occasions when he felt unnecessarily burdened, as if he had to do it.

LESSON II.-Jealousy and Envy Punished, Num. xii. Golden Text, I Cor. xiii, 4, 5, "Love envieth not; love vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, doth not behave itself unseemly." The devil is ever at work in the world and in the church, but it is sad indeed when he is allowed to enter a Christian household. It should be said of Christians. See how these believers love one another."

LESSON III .- The Report of the Spies, Num, xiii, 1-3, 25-33. Golden Text. Rom, viii, 31, "If God is for us, who is against us?" To inquire if what God says is true or to question if He is able to do as He has said is indeed bad business. The shepherds did better who said, "Let us go and see this thing which has come to pass" (Luke ii, When the Lord is as real to us as He was to Caleb and Joshua we will not consider giant difficulties of any kind.

LESSON IV .- The Sin of Moses and Aaron, Num. xx, 1-13. Golden Text, Ps. xix, 14, "Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, O Jehovah, my Rock and my Redeemer." The failtire of Moses on the line of meekness after forty years of victory and intercession for such a people should humble us all in the dust before God and lead us never for one moment to trust ourselves in any way.

LESSON V.-Balak and Balaam, Num, xxii, 2-6; xxiv, 10-19. Golden Text, Jas. i, S. "A double minded man, unstable in all his ways." Every phase of human nature is set before us in Scripture, but Balaam is one of the strangest, ready to do anything for money, even to curse the people of God, and yet afraid to go against God and ready to speak His messages, yet a leader of the Lord's people into sinful ways (Rev. ii, 14).

LESSON VI.—Abstinence For the Sake of Others, Rom. xiv, 7-21. Golden Text, Rom. xiv, 21, "It is good not to ent flesh, nor to drink wine, nor to do anything whereby thy brother stumbleth." As the Lord Jesus Christ is our only Saviour, He should be our only example, and His approval our only aim. LESSON VII.-The Death of Moses.

Deut. xxxiv, 1-12. Golden Text, Ps. exvi, 15, "Precious in the sight of Jehovah is the death of His saints." In some respects the most remarkable death and burial on record, as his was also in some respects the most remarkable life ever lived. No other man who died and was buried was ever seen on earth hundreds of years later and recognized by mortals. LESSON VIII. - Joshua the New

Leader, Josh. i, 1-9. Golden Text, Josh, i, 9, "Be strong and of good courage." Remember the ten times this exhortation is found (see notes on this lesson) and associate with it the five "Be of good cheers" of the Lord Jesus (Matt. ix. 2, 22; xiv, 27; John xvi, 33; Acts xxiii. 11). Make much of the assurance "I will be with thee; I will not fail thee" (verse 5), and the "Be not afraid of" of verse 9.

LESSON IX.-Crossing the Jordan, Josh. iii, 7-17. Golden Text, Isa. xli. 10, "Fear thou not, for I am with thee," Remember the faith of Rahab and the story of the scarlet line; also the prominent place of the ark of the covenant in chapters Hi and iv. See the object in dividing the Red sea and the Jordan, that the name of the Lord might be magnified and that all the people of the earth might know the hand of the Lord (Isa. lxiii, 12-14; Josh, iv, 24).

LESSON X .- The Fall of Jericho, Josh vl. 8-11, 14-20. Golden Text, Mark ix, 23, "All things are possible to him that believeth." Note again the prominence of the ark of the covenant and the only sound heard, that of the trumpets of rams' horns. All victory is in the name of the Lord Jesus and by virtue of His precious blood. Before Him all Jerichos fall, all difficulties vanish.

LESSON XL-The Sin of Achan, Josh. vil. 6-15. Golden Text, Num. xxxii, 23. "Be sure your sin will find you out." We are assured of victory and of being able to say, "Thanks be unto God, who always causeth us to triumph in Christ" (II Cor. ii, 14), but it is on condition of obedience and of pleasing, and not grieving the Holy' Spirit.

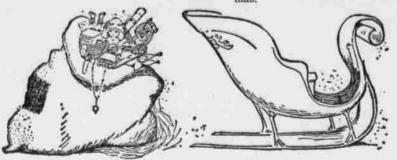
LESSON XII. - The Word Made Flesh, John i, 1-18. Golden Text, John i. 14. "And the word became flesh and dwelt among us." The same one who created heaven and earth and talked with Adam and Eve, with Enoch, Noah, Abraham, Isnac, Jacob, Moses and Joshua, became one of us, sin excepted, by being born of Mary. He was unknown on earth except by a few; He is very little known now, but to all who receive Him He gives the privilege of becoming children of God.

SCHOOL. A SANTA CLAUS RHYME

By IDA KENNISTON. Pictures by Fanny Y. Cory.

This is the Pack That Santa Claus brought at Christ-

This is the Sleigh That carried the Pack That Santa Claus brought at Christ-



These are the Reindeer That drew the Sleigh That carried the Pack That Santa Claus brought at Christmas.



This is the house

Where the Reindeer stopped That drew the Sleigh That carried the Pack That Santa Claus brought at Christmas.



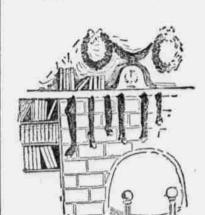
This is the Chimney big and wide That Santa Claus climbed down inside

At the House where the Reindeer stopped

That drew the Sleigh

That carried the Pack

That Santa Claus brought at Christ-



This is the Stocking long and fine That the little girl hung at the end of the line

There by the Hearth, where, all in a

stockings hung waiting for Santa, you know; They hung by the Chimney big and wide

That Santa Claus climbed down inside

At the House where the Reindeer

stopped That drew the Sleigh

That carried the Pack

That Santa Claus brought at Christmas.-From St. Nicholas,

DIARY FOR CHRISTMAS GIFT PRESENTS BOUGHT FOR SHOW

Peculiar but Pleasing Remembrance Showing Absent Friend Was In Mind of Donor.

On Thanksgiving day a man sat down and began to write to a distant friend. But he wrote only a few lines, and laid it aside. The next day he took up the pen, put down the new date, diary-fashion, and wrote some item of news of interest to them both

So each day from Thanksgiving till Christmas he added something to the letter, as he would in a diary, ending and mailing it just in time to ent that represents a great sacrifice reach his friend on Christmas morning. At the top he had written this message:

"This is all the gift you get from me this year; but it carries more thought of you and more love, I imagine, than do some more costly ones I am sending. But just put it in your pocket for a dull January day. It will keep.

And this was a letter from a man to a man! Damon and Pythias, David and Jonathan still live in our prosaic American business world.-Mother's Magazine.

Exploiting One's Own Vanity in Bestowal of Gifts Is Pour Policy.

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The most miserable Christmas present, the kind that no human being is rich enough to afford, is that which is bought to make a show, to exploit one's own vanity.

When you are tempted to buy a "show off" present, remember that the recipient has some rights. One who understands will be made unhappy by that kind of gift. You know yourself that when you receive a preson the part of the giver it makes you feel miserable, even when the right spirit is behind it.

The cost in money is about the poorest of measures for any kind of a gift. The thoughtfulness in it, the recognition of a desire for things unasked for, the affection that goes with it, counts for much more. Every Christmas each of us receives a message that means more than the most expensive gift. Yet we forget that sometimes in the perplexing selection presents for others.-Woman's Home Companion.



Hancock Lumberman Experience Exciting Ride.

James Maddsley, aged 40 years, a lumber man, residing at Hancock, was seriously injured on Wednesday afternoon while riding on the steps of a passenger coach of O. & train No. 3, while the train was pass ing through the Cadosia tunnel.

According to the story which Maddsley told after he was injured, he had been at Fish's Eddy spending the day, intending to return to Han-cock on train 3. When he reached the station at Fish's Eddy, the train was pulling out, and the vestibule doors were closed. Thinking he could attract the attention of the conductor or a trainman, he grasped the handles, and swung on the low-er step, hanging outside the doors.

He was unable to attract the at-tention of anyone, however, and when the train entered the Cadosia tunnel, after carrying him a distance of about five miles, he was struck by the side of the tunnel and swept to the ground. Luckily he fell alongthe track, and not under the cars.

The injured man was found shortly after the train passed by the ker, and was taken to Han where he was attended by Dr. John H. Atchinson. Here it was found that several ribs were broken, and he probably received internal injuries.-Port Jervis Gazette.

Wedding Ring Lost Thirty Years Recovered.

Mrs. Maurie Coleman has been fortunate enough to recover her wedding ring, which was lost about twenty-nine years ago, when Mrs. Coleman was living at Mongaup, N. Y. The ring was returned to Mrs. Coleman by a woman who found it while grading the yards around her new home.—Port Jervis Gazette.

Taylor Boosts Pay of Its Burgess 8300.

The Taylor council discovered new wrinkle in the law recently, and at a recent meeting boosted the salary of the burgess \$300. According to the statement made at the council meeting a law passed by the legislature some years ago fixes the salary of burgesses at \$100 for every 1,000 of population up to 5000 and \$50 for every 1000 after that. This would allow the borough council to fix the salary of the burgess at \$750 per annum, and this action was taken. The office at present pays \$500 per year, but the incoming burgess, James Morris, will benefit by the

The O. & W. company has commenced the construction of a large ice house in Walton and expect to begin the construction of another smaller one beside their track Delhi in a few days. With this ice house the company expects to make Walton a general icing point for fruit and other produce cars, and for such milk cars as are not already iced through when they reach this place.

Justice Carpenter of Hancock, has the distinction of breaking all the local speed records in marrying a pair of youthful lovers. They came to his office, announced their pur-pose, and he asked the man if he wanted to marry the woman and the woman if she wanted to marry the They both replied in the affirmative and the justice then said: law of the great State of New York I pronounce you man and wife. You're hitched. Excuse me, I've got to catch a train." And he immediately flitted away.—Liberty

The entire estate of William Deer-ing, the Harvester Manufacturer, who died in Florida recently, left to his immediate family, according to the will which was probated Thursday an estate valued at \$12,000,000. Miss Marjorie Ward is expected to receive the major portion of the estate of her father, the late A. Montgomery Ward. By the will filed the estate is placed at \$15,000,000.

Without doubt, the largest baby in Southern Michigan for his age, is Carl Young Kennedy, 9-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy of Scipio Township. The baby weighed 13 pounds at birth and now weighs 30 pounds. It has a chest measurement of 22 inches and a waist measurement of 24 inches.

The people who need more religion ire: The man who lets his horse stand all day in the rain without a blanket; the man who growls like a beast with a sore head when his wife asks him for money; the woman who whispers it around that some one else is not just what she ought to be; the man who walks the streets with his hands in his pockets while his wife carries the baby, and a man who keeps a dog and says he can't afford the home newspaper.

In Williamsport the Board of Trade is at work on a proposition having as its object the loaning of money at low rates of interest to thrifty men, in that vicinity, who want farms of their own but have not the means at hand to acquire and stock them. This is surely boosting agriculture.

In his eagerness to recover a chest con-taining about \$100, the savings of a num-ber of years, Solomon Brandt, 70 years old, a civil war veteran, was cremated when his little cabin on the top of the Al-legheny mountains, about three miles from Berlin was burned one day last week.

Ralph De Palma, who captured the 1912 Vandelbilt cup race in Milwaukee, announces that he will sue for the \$3.-500 purse which was to have gone to the winner. De Palma said he needed the money for Christmas.

A big electric light and power merger in Susquehanna county came to light last Tuesday when charters were granted at Harrisburg for seven electric light com-

USE PARISIAN SAGE

If you have dandruff it is because the scalp is too dry and flakes off. Freshen up the scalp—lubricate it—

and danduff disappears.
Surely try a 50c bottle of Parisian Sage. It cleanses the hair, nourishes it, stops falling hair and itching scalp. It is just what you need to make the scalp healthy and immedi-ately remove dandruff.

For Sale by G. W. PEIL.

NIAGARA FALLS. THE TOWER HOTEL is located directly opposite the Falls. Rates are reasonable. 19eoily

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Milanville Bridge Company will be held at the store of T. J. Fromes in Milanville on Monday, January 12th, at 10 o'clock a. m. CHAS, E. BEACH, Sec'y.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—By virtue of process issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Wayne county, and State of Pennsylvania, and to me directed and delivered. I have levied on and will expose to public sale, at the Court House in Honesdale on

FRIDAY, JAN. 16, 1914, 2 P. M. All the defendant's right, title and in-cerest in the following described property

terest in the following described property—vix:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Salem, county of Wayne, State of Pennsylvania, and being on the south side of the road leading from the little chapel to Stocker's corner, beginning on the south side of the road, two and 12 twenty-fifths rods from the north-east corner of the house thereon at a heap of stones; thence running south eighty degrees west eight rods to a heap of stones; thence north seventeen degrees seven rods to stone; thence north eighty degrees east eight rods to heap of stones; thence south seventeen degrees east seven rods to stone; thence north eighty degrees east eight rods to heap of stones; thence south seventeen degrees east seven rods to the place of beginning, containing fifty-six square rods more or less. Being same land which Geo. F. Chapman and wife conveyed to Fred F. Chapman and wife conveyed to Fred F. Chapman hy deed dated 18 Nov., 1888, and recorded in Deed Book 81, page 320.

Upon said premises there is a two and one-half story house and other improvements.

ments.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Fred F. Chapman at the suit of Harriet S. Sutton. No. 142 October Term, 1909. Judgment, 200. Mumford & Mumford, Attorneys.

TAKE NOTICE—All bids and costs must be paid on day of sale or deeds will not be acknowledged.

FRANK C. KIMBLE, Sheriff. Honesdale, Pa., Dec. 19, 1913.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—By virtue of process issued out of the Court of Common Piens of Wayne county, and State of Pennsylvania, and to me directed and delivered, I have levied on and will expose to public sale, at the Court House in Honesdale on

SATURDAY, JAN. 10, 1914, 2 P. M. All the defendant's right, title and in-terest in the following described property

All the defendant's right, title and interest in the following described property -viz:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Mount Pleasant, county of Wayne and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows; Beginning on the west ditch of the Lackawaxen turnpike thirty links north of the north line of the old Stanton farm so called at stones corner; thence south sixty and one-half degrees west thirteen and two-thirds perches, to stones corner; thence south seventy-nine and one-half degrees east six perches to a stones corner; thence south seventy-nine and one-half degrees east thirteen and two-thirds perches to stones corner; thence north sixty and one-half degrees east thirteen and two-thirds perches to stones corner; thence north twenty-nine and one-half degrees west along the west side of the said turnpike six perches to the piace of beginning. Containing eighty perches of land more or less, and being the same land which Miletus Brown by deed dated the 7th day of June A. D. 1856, and recorded in Deed Book No. 79, page 111, granted and conveyed to Deborah L. Eade. Upon said premises is a 1 1-2 story frame house and frame barn.

Seized and taken in execution as the

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Deborah L. Eade at the sult of Mary L. Silsbee. No. 112. October Term, 1912. Judgment, \$232.70. Mumford & Mumford, Attorneys.

TAKE NOTICE—All bids and costs must be paid on day of sale or deeds will not be acknowledged FRANK C. KIMBLE, Sheriff. Dec. 18, 1913. 102wks8

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at ten o'clock a. m. for the transaction of general business and that an election who be held at the same place of meeting be tween the hours of one and two o'cloc p. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing ten members of said company to act as directors for the ensuing year Every person insured in said company if a member thereof and entitled to on vote. PERRY A. CLARK. Sec. PERRY A. CLARK, Sec. ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

NOTICE OF ELECTION. Notice is hereby given that the annumering of the Wayne County Farmer Mutual Fire Insurance Company will beld in the office of the company i Honesdale on

MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 1914,

By virtue of an order of Orphans' Cour of Wayne county, made this 16th day o December, 1913, I will sell at public auc tion, to the highest bidder on the prem ises in Hamiln, Wayne county, Pa., or WEDNESDAY, JAN. 14, 1914,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, being the property of Eugene Mitchell, late of Salem township, de-

Mitchell, late of Salem township, decased:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Salem, county of Wayne and State of Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows, to wit. Beginning in the Belmont & Easton Turnpike; thence by lands of Sabinus Walker north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west ten rods to a post thence along the lands of the said Sabinus Walker south two degrees west fourteen rods to the end of stone wall; thence south eighty-eight and one-half degrees east ten rods to the Belmont & Easton turnpike; thence along said turnpike fourteen rods to the place of beginning. Containing six-eighths of an acre of land, be the same more or less. Being the same land which Angeline Williams by deed dated February 18, 1913, and recorded in Wayne County Deed Book No. 101, page 404, granted and conveyed to Eugene B. Mitchell.

Upon the said premises are a two story frame dwelling house, frame barn, and other out buildings.

Terms of sale, cash.

G. O. GILLETT,

M. E. Simons,

G. O. GILLETT, Executor, 102w3 M. E. Simons, Attorney. NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR

CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Wayne County, on the 7th day of January, 1914, at ten o clock a. m., under the provisions of the Corporation Act of 1874 and its supplements, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called the Honesdale Business Men's Association, the character and object of which are to co-operate for the benefit of all; to abate trade abuses; to disseminate useful information; to expose fraud and adulteration; to watch and influence legislation toward the better protection of our capital; to assist members in collecting delinquent accounts; to protect them against fraudulent customers, and to encourage the observance of the Sabbath and all legal holidays; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act and the supplements thereto.

SEARLE & SALMON, Solicitors.

Honesdale, Pa., Dec. 15, 1913. 101w3 CHARTER.

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DMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of estate of Thomas

L. Burcher, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of said estate of Thomas L. Burcher has made application to the Orphans' Court of Wayne County for an order to sell at private sale for the sum of Seventeen Hundred Dollars the real estate of said decedent, situated in the Township of Damascus, Wayne County, Pa., being the same land which Frank N. Betts et ux. by deed dated December 31, 1906, and recorded in Wayne County Deed Book

No. 96, page 586, granted and conveyed to Thomas L. Burcher. Unless exceptions are filed or a higher price offered, an order of said Court will be made on the third Monday of January next at two o'clock m., authorizing the said Administr tor to sell the said real estate for the said sum.

J. C. BURCHER,

Administrator, Honesdale, Pa., Dec. 11, 1913.

M. E. Simons, Attorney. E XECUTOR'S NOTICE.

EDWARD B. WHEATON. Late of Buckingham.

All persons indebted to said tate are notified to make immedia payment to the undersigned; as those having claims against the sa estate are notified to present the duly attested, for settlement.

NELLIE E. WHEATON,

Executrix Starlight, Pa. December 8, 1913. 99w

E XECUTOR'S NOTICE. ANNIE A. COLE, Late of Clinton. All persons indebted to said

tate are notified to make immedia payment to the undersigned; a those having claims against the s estate are notified to present th duly attested for settlement.

J. H. STEPHENSON, Executor Waymart, Pa., Dec. 13, 1913.

UDITOR'S NOTICE,-Estate Fred E. Lawyer, Late of Honesdale, deceased.

The undersigned an auditor s pointed to pass upon the exceptions to account and to report distribution of said estate, will attend to the duties of his appointment, on TUESDAY, DEC. 30, 10 A. M.,

at his office in the borough of Honesdale, at which time and place all claims against said estate must be presented, or recourse to the fund for distribution will be lost.

WM. H. LEE, Auditor. Honesdale, Dec. 5, 1913. 99w3

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